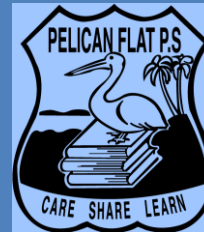


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Issue 17– Term 4 – Week 4

Wednesday 30th October, 2013

STUDENT DAILY PROGRAM

Classes begin: 9.00 am and finish 3.00pm

Tuesday: Scripture

Wednesday: Library

Friday: Sport

Canteen: Monday-Wednesday- Friday

Clothing Pool: Tuesday 8.45 – 9.10am

Next week we begin our three week Kinder Orientation program. Sessions will be held each Thursday from 10 to 11.

Speeches, followed by an election for Student Leaders 2014, will be held on Friday, 15th November. Good luck to our Year 5 students.

Notes have been out for a few weeks relating to Swim School. This is a great opportunity for students from Year 2 up. Please indicate your interest by Friday.

This week Mrs Peno received permission to advertise the Principal position. Our community rep on the panel will be Tracy Ferguson and the staff rep will be Ms Nesbitt. The ad will be placed next Wednesday and run for three weeks with interviews following in the weeks after that. The position will be filled prior to the end of the year ready to commence in 2014.

Sadly, last Thursday, Mrs Leanne Young Principal of Blacksmith PS passed away. Our thoughts are with the school community. Her funeral service was held this afternoon.

Term 4 Upcoming Dates

- 1st Nov: Hotdog Day
- 5th Nov: Tafe Excursion
- 6th Nov: JETS league visit
- 7th Nov: Kinder Orientation 10 til 11 am
- 14th Nov: Kinder Orientation 10 til 11 am
- 21st Nov: Kinder Orientation 10 til 11 am



Happy Birthday to the following students who are celebrating this fortnight and whilst on holidays:

Kaydence Riley

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

What a great evening we all experienced on Friday! Congratulations to the P&C who organised the fete and special thanks to Rebecca Harvey who led the team magnificently. At one stage I think that there would have been over 2000 people attending. A good catch up was held on the Saturday with a few tall stories told.

Congratulations to Rachel Duffin who has been selected in the U/13 Emerging Jets squad. Get your autographs now!



Graham Bradbery

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Our class had an amazing time at the museum and catching the ferry to Stockton last Friday. They were very happy to spend the day with Mrs. Vanderzee. Also a very special thankyou to our parent helpers Greg and Tracey Harrison and Lorraine Gibson whom was a tremendous help on the day. It's a shame I wasn't able to attend because of my injured ankle.

We have enjoyed having 2"big books" helping in our room each day, they help us with our sounds and words.

Just a reminder that home readers should be changed at least once or twice a week. I haven't seen home readers for months. If your child isn't reading their reader anymore please return them with a note saying they require another reader. All readers/magazines need to be returned to the school by next week.

The class has been working hard and powering through all work they have been given. I'm very proud of them.

As Christmas is fast approaching, our class will start talking, reading and learning about Christmas and Santa. As this is a special and exciting time of the year for younger students I'm asking if you can talk to your child about Santa and discuss with them everybody has different beliefs and we want to keep the magic the magic of Christmas and Santa alive for everyone. Thankyou!!!!

Sport

Congratulations to Rachel Duffin who has recently competed at state level for soccer. She has also been chosen in the "Emerging Newcastle Jets" soccer team. Well done Rachel!!!!!!

Swimming scheme notes need to be returned by tomorrow to ensure your child secures their place. If we can't fill our positions we will open up the remaining spots to the more capable students.

Ms. Nesbitt

Pelican Flat Public School

This week's virtue is

KINDNESS/ CARE

Kindness is doing thoughtful things for other people.

Caring people make others feel less alone. They help when people feel sick or are hurt. They are concerned

and attentive.



SWANSEA PUBLIC SCHOOL - PRESENTS CINEMA UNDER THE STARS

Saturday, 16 November 2013
Rawson Street, Swansea



Tickets available from Swansea Public School between 9am and 3pm - Contact: 40 711 267

Tickets: Child: \$5.00 Adult: \$10.00 Family: 2 Adults, 2 Children \$25.00
A night under the stars... Bring a blanket/chair... Relax with family & friends...

Major Sponsors:



This is an alcohol free event/No Smoking

Sunday 3rd November

The running of the 2nd annual
SALT WATER CUP

SALT WATER MARKET

Hosted by
SWANSEA PUBLIC SCHOOL
Rawson & Channel Streets
Swansea

9AM
TIL
2PM

Unique Quality Stalls

~ PLUS ~
charity BBQ
tasty food
fresh produce
jumping castle
face painting
relaxing picnic area
free entry & parking
live music by Masterclass
& Lake Macquarie FM

~ Christmas Markets dates ~
Sunday 1st & 15th December
~ 9am til 2pm ~

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